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## New Features at County Fair all Next Week

Workmen are busy this week getting everything in ship-shape condition for what promises to be an outstanding program as the final days near the 110th annual Oxford County Fair on September 11 through to the 15th.

Fairgoers, this year will see for themselves that the new slogan, "Everything Under the Sun, For Our Fair in '51," is no idle boast of the fair officials.

They will see animals, from Midway Mice to Trained Circus Elephants during the five days of the fair. A trip over the huge grounds will find every department filled to capacity, more cattle and sheep for the livestock show, more horses, oxen and steers for the pulling events, more exhibits in the Grange and 4-H Club department and more and better acts for the Grandstand Shows to be staged every afternoon and night.

One of the highlights of the five day show will be the first Market Lamb Sale staged on a Maine fairgrounds. This feature attraction will be held Thursday at 10 a. m. More than 40 Lambs, fitted for the sale by 4-H Club members, will be sold to the highest bidders. These bidders will be comprised of the buyers of many wholesale meat concerns of Lewiston, Portland, and other cities of the state.

The judging of the 4-H Market Lambs will be held on Wednesday morning and will attract a huge crowd of interested spectators.

Other Thursday features include the Maine Guernsey Breeders' Association Show, bringing herds of Guernseys from every section of Maine; the State-wide Sweepstakes pulling event which will bring to the Oxford fairgrounds the outstanding big teams of Maine to vie for the big purse; and the Cavalcade of Livestock, yearly feature of interest to all.

As in past years, Fair officials are turning over the opening day to the children of Oxford County. Young America's Day will feature various events especially for the young fry. Every child in the county will be the guest of the fair association. Schools in the various towns are arranging their schedules to give the children an opportunity to attend the opening day festivities.

4-H Club members will have their day on Friday when every 4-Her will be admitted free to the grounds. The 4-H Dairy Show will be the highlight of Friday's program, with judging getting underway at 9 a. m. The H P Hood award will be made during the morning program. The annual Showmanship contest will be held at 11:30 a. m., when the Grand Champion 4-H cattle will be selected.

The afternoon program will feature the annual Cavalcade of 4-H animals on the half-mile race track. As the long line of Oxford County 4-H livestock is halted in front of the grandstand, an outstanding Oxford County boy and girl will be awarded the Mr and Mrs Ed Keller cash award. The presentation will be made on the big stage as seen from the grandstand.

Fair officials are proud to present this year the gala grandstand show featuring the Aerial Gymnastics in one of the most daring high trapeze acts of the country. Another feature of the seven-act stage show will be the Dorothy Jacobs Society Elephants, her 12 baby horse and trained dogs. This

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## GEORGE A. NORTON

George A. Norton died suddenly at his home in Locke Mills last Friday. He was born in Greenwood, April 5, 1905, the son of Harvey and Delina Green Norton.

He was educated in Greenwood schools and graduated from Woodstock High School. He was employed by the E. L. Tebbets Spool Company.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Jennie Adams, North Lovell; Mrs. Mary Andrews, Locke Mills; a brother, James, of Bangor; and a half-brother, Howard Kelly, Cumberland Mills.

Funeral services were held at the Locke Mills Union Church Monday afternoon.

## IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Miss Nancy Cummings has returned home from Naples.

The W. S. C. S. met at Mrs. Clifford Merrill today. Mrs. Evans Wilson led devotions.

Mr and Mrs Gilbert LeClair of Bangor spent the week end with Mr and Mrs Ray York.

Mr and Mrs Sybil LeClair are enjoying a vacation trip to Madison, N. J., and New York.

Miss Norma Hunt of Boston spent the holiday week end with her parents, Mr and Mrs Frank Hunt.

Mrs Naomi Varner and Miss Helen Varner arrived home Friday from a three weeks trip to Nova Scotia.

Jerold Davis and Roy Murphy, U S Navy cadets, have left for training at the Great Lakes Training Center.

Mr and Mrs Harold Goss returned to Gardiner, Wednesday, after spending several days with Mr and Mrs Henry Boyker.

Mr and Mrs R H Jackson and daughter Barbara of North Easton, Mass., spent the week end and holiday at Songo Pond.

Mrs John St. Clair and children, Joan and John, of Washington, D. C., spent several days last week with Mrs F. L. Edwards.

Mr and Mrs Andrew Cole and family of West Roxbury, Mass., were guests of Mr and Mrs J. B. Chapman over the week end.

Mr and Mrs Addison Saunders, who have spent the summer at Songo Pond, are returning to their home on Main Street this week.

Ernest Buck, with Archie Buck of Portland and Harry Parsons of Rumford, was cranberrying on Rabbit Mountain the first of the week.

Mr and Mrs Douglas Langille and daughter Lynn, who have been visiting her father, Gerry Brooks, have returned to Marlboro Mass.

Mr and Mrs Alvin Gurney and Mr and Mrs Rose Trout went on a motor trip to Montreal, Que. over the week end and holiday.

Mr and Mrs Donald Whiting and children, Joseph and Andrew (Siamese), N. Y., were week end guests of Mr and Mrs Don Merrill.

Orville H. Anderson, Mr and Mrs George Bowhay, Mrs. Alice Taylor and Miss Grace Taylor returned Saturday from Lake Umbagog, Ont.

Mrs Phillips Brooks and Mrs. Norman Dresser are visiting Mr and Mrs Glen Meerve in Hingham, Mass. Mrs Dresser will return soon to her home in West Palm Beach, Fla.

Purity Chapter, O. E. S., observed Brothers' Night at their meeting Wednesday evening with committees as follows: supper, Frances Noyes, Herbert Martin Jr., Floyd Mason, Walter Tinsler, Richard Bryant and LeRoy H. Hanson.

Dinner room, Elmer Bennett and Eugene Van Een Kerkhoven, program, Ed Groves Brooks, Mrs. Norman Humphrey and Louis Van Een Kerkhoven.

Mr and Mrs Ernest Phillips and daughter, Harriet, were guests during the week end of her parents, Mr and Mrs Philip Joyce.

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## STATE CHAMBER IN FAVOR OF HIGHWAY BOND ISSUE

Maine's highway system and its lack of an effective improvement program is an economic bottleneck regarding the development of the state in all fields. This is the decision of the Board of Directors of the Maine State Chamber of Commerce.

After careful consideration of the effects of our "antiquated" system on commerce, industry, and the recreational field, the Chamber Board declared, "We are already unable to accommodate the increasing traffic flow created by more visitors and an expanding economy." The State of Maine cannot afford to impose limits upon its economic development, and this is certainly happening in the case of our highways.

The Chamber feels that everyone interested in the future of the State of Maine should be concerned over this problem and must seek a solution. And it points out that a major contribution to the solution is offered in the bond issue proposal which is a referendum question No. 1 on the ballot September 10. Approval of this proposal by the people of the State, the State Chamber contends, will make possible a long range highway improvement program impossible under the present system, which has "outlived its usefulness."

Paul C. Emerson, Executive Manager, said that the Chamber, which represents all kinds of business and the professions, had discussed the highway problem and its possible solutions at a number of meetings including the annual meeting in Augusta last March.

In addition to the obvious benefits which the bond issue proposal can provide in construction, there is another important benefit which received the approval of the 95th Legislature. This benefit is the long-range program which lists the individual projects to be completed, and gives their priority as established from maintenance costs and traffic volume.

The State Chamber's Board has approved an information program designed to call attention to the fact that the highway improvement program is sound business policy for the State. As a further step toward a sound fiscal policy the Board endorsed support of the proposal approved by the 95th Legislature to make all measures approved by the people temporarily operative unless adequate funds are also provided. This question will be found on the ballot as Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 4.

Pointing to a reason why the State should not serve as the model for the other states, the Chamber also will stress through its activities that approval should be given to Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 4, which safeguards the right to vote of people absent from the State or of people, already handicapped.

Robert Greenleaf has returned to Gorham to resume his teaching duties.

E. J. Iannone and son, Harold Jr., visited relatives in Harmony, Sunday.

Stanley Carter of Limestone recently visited his mother, Mrs. Fannie Carter.

Carlton Brown and John Willard are visiting in Boston several days this week.

Mrs. Paul Brown and two children of Augusta visited relatives in town last week.

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## 1951-52 SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS IN UNION NO. 22

Tuesday, Sept. 4. Schools open in Gilead, Greenwood, Newry and Upton.

Monday, Sept. 10. Meeting of all teachers in the union.

Tuesday, Sept. 11. Bethel schools open.

Friday, Sept. 28. Oxford Co. Teachers Convention.

Thurs. and Fri., Oct. 25-26. State Teachers Convention.

Monday, Nov. 12. Holiday. Observance of Armistice Day.

Thurs. and Fri., Nov. 22-23. Thanksgiving Recess.

From Dec. 21 to Jan. 7. Christmas Vacation.

Friday, Feb. 22. Holiday. Washington's Birthday.

From March 28 to April 7. Easter Vacation (Locke Mills two weeks at mid time).

Friday, May 30. Holiday. Memorial Day.

Friday, June 8. Schools close in Gilead and Upton.

Week of June 9-13. Schools close in Newry.

Week of June 18-20. Schools close in Bethel and Greenwood.

GOULD ACADEMY OPENING DATES

The following information of interest to all entering students of Gould Academy is submitted at this time for the guidance of all concerned.

Sunday, Sept. 9—Arrival of new boarding students. All football candidates report to Mr. Scott.

Sept. 10—Arrival of remaining members of the boarding department.

Tuesday, Sept. 11—Recitations begin at 8:10 A. M.

All day students who have not filed a registration form should report to the school office not later than Friday, Sept. 7.

EDWARD HASTINGS TO PRESENT ORGAN RECITAL

On Wednesday evening, September 12, at eight p. m. Edward Hastings will present an organ recital in the West Parish Church.

Mr Hastings is organist at the Dudley Street Baptist Church in Roxbury, Mass., and on the faculty of Clark University in Worcester. He is well known in this vicinity and his concert is anticipated with pleasure.

The public is very cordially invited by the Music Committee of West Parish Church to attend the concert.

WINS OUTSTANDING AWARD

Miss Mary Fougere of Bethel was one of ten 4-H club members selected to represent Oxford County at State Camp in Maine, August 22-29.

This is Mary's sixth year in 4-H work and she is now a member of the Early Riser's 4-H Club led by James Haines. She has held various offices including being president, vice-president, secretary and club reporter of her local club.

Mary has completed 15 projects and is carrying four this year. In 1949 she and her teammate, Shirley Bartlett won the County Demonstration Tournament and were given a week end camping trip as a reward.

Mary has been on the honor roll for the past two years and will enter Gould Academy as a Junior this fall.

Mr and Mrs Ethel Reed of Georgetown, Mass., and Mrs. Ida Blake of East Bethel were recent visitors of Mr and Mrs Charles Reed.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Gibbs and family were in Gorham, N. H. over the week end and Mrs. George Purple returned to New Hampshire with them.

Mr and Mrs Wendell Gibbs and family of Peabody, Mass., and Mrs. Harvey Jones of Lewiston spent the week end with Mr and Mrs H. A. Bean at Camp Laycock, Albany.

Mrs. Stephen Chasaffa and children returned to their home in Rumford Tuesday after spending the summer with relatives here.

Ray and Mrs. Edwin Wilson of Bangor will visit the last of the week with his brother, Evans Wilson, and family. Harold Wilson, who has spent the summer here, will return with them.

3047 Parker Drive is at his home here from Fort Devens, Mass., on a 30 day furlough. He has had two severe attacks of malaria since he has been home. He will report to Camp Pine, N. Y., at the completion of his furlough.

## Four Teachers New at Gould

When school opens on September 11, four new teachers will be numbered among the faculty of Gould Academy.

Richard E. Barbour will take over the duties as instructor of music succeeding Miss Ann L. Griggs who retired in June.

Mr Barbour is a graduate of Corham Teachers College and has attended summer sessions of Boston University School of Music in 1949, 1950, 1951. He has had several years teaching experience in elementary and secondary schools in Freeport, Cape Elizabeth, Gorham, Standish, Hollis and Buxton. During this time he also served as Principal of the Freeport Grammar School. He will teach three days each week at the Academy and two days in the Bethel school union district. Mr Barbour moved to Bethel with his family last week.

Miss Valeria L. Kimball of East Hiram will teach the courses in Latin and some of the Freshman English. Miss Kimball is a graduate of Bates College with a major in Latin and comes to Gould highly recommended for her work in Eastern High School. She has attended summer sessions of University of Maine and has also held responsible positions in business with the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and the Beneficial Loan Society of Portland for which she served as Assistant Manager.

Miss Anne Monzert of West Newton, Mass., will take over the classes in French. She is a graduate of Middlebury College with cum laude honors in the French language and literature. She has also studied in France under the Sweetbriar Plan. This summer she has been enrolled in Boston University.

Clifford Hillier will teach classes in bookkeeping and typing. Mr Hillier attended Huxton College in Bangor and the University of Maine from which he graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree. He has arrived with his family from Oxford where he had been teacher of commercial subjects in the local high school.

Brooks completes LEADERSHIP SCHOOL AT FORT DIN, N. J.

Put Donald Paul Brooks on of Mr and Mrs E. G. Brooks son of Bethel has just completed a leadership school with the 36th Field Artillery Battalion, a unit of the 10th Army, at Fort Dix, N. J.

Spending the first four weeks of the eight week course in the study of theory and principles of group dynamics, Donald Paul Brooks was taught leadership psychology and other military subjects which will enable him to instruct trainees and eventually lead men in combat.

He spent the fifth week on tactical and defensive training in weapons training this week he also took and passed a reaction test designed to check his alertness and physical stamina.

The last three weeks of the course were spent as an assistant instructor or "cadreman" in one of the companies of the four training regiments at Fort Dix. While he got the opportunity to put into practical use what he had been taught in the classroom and field during his first few weeks of training.

Put Brooks is a graduate of the Academy and has a B. S. from the University of Maine. He entered the armed forces Feb. 20, 1950 at Fort Dix.

BETHEL SUMMER RESIDENT GUEST OF HONOR

Mrs. Fannie Carter entertained a tea Friday afternoon for Mrs. Irene Foster who was to leave soon for her home in Newton, Mass., after spending the summer at the home of Mr and Mrs Ralph Hall.

A decorated birthday cake made by Mrs. Irene Foster was presented to Mrs. Foster. Present were Mrs. Walter Bond, Mrs. Clarence Hall, Mrs. Fannie Carter, Mrs. Irene Foster, Mrs. Fannie Carter, Mrs. Fannie Carter, Mrs. Fannie Carter.

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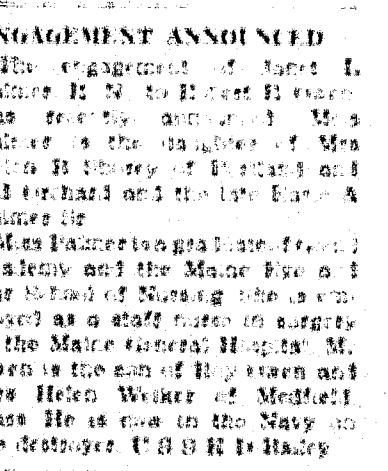
Clifford Hillier



Miss Valeria L. Kimball



Miss Anne Monzert



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Janet L. Palmer, 11 N. to Robert F. Palmer, was announced. Mrs. Palmer is the daughter of Mrs. Helen B. Palmer of Portland and old friend and the late Mrs. A. Palmer Jr.

Mrs. Palmer is a graduate of the Academy and the Maine Eye and Ear School of Nursing. She is employed as a staff nurse in surgery at the Maine General Hospital. Mrs. Helen Walker of Medford, Mass. He is now in the Navy on the destroyer USS R. H. Halsey.

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## The Week in Oxford County

The \$25,000 Scott's Bridge project in Rumford, is under way under the supervision of the State Highway Commission.

Earle Glidden, 43, of Rumford was fatally injured last Thursday when he was struck by a truck in the Brownstein junk yard. He is survived by his widow, a step-son, and five children.

Douglas and Donald Joy, twins of Mr and Mrs Byron Joy of Mexico, won first prize in the most identical twins in the six to 14 year old group at the "Twin Party" at Lowerwood last week.

Milton Parun of Norway was seriously injured when he was dragged more than a mile and a

half by a lighted truck last Thursday. He was confined to a hospital in New Portland.

Mrs. Faye Allen of Rumford is a high school graduate last June, recently was the center of a Varsity basketball team.

Mrs. Robert Allen, who will visit New York and tour Hudson.

Among those attending the meeting of Oxford Farmers Grange at Upper Tuesday were Mr and Mrs E. Bennett, Mrs. Wallace (Gibbs), Mrs. Harry Hutchinson, Mrs. Edna Smith, and Mrs. Gertrude Hart.

Mr and Mrs C. G. Myers of West Bethel, Mr and Mrs Fred Wright and Mrs. Carrie Wright of North Newry.

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### An Atheist Teaching Teachers

An impassioned letter just received from the mother of two college age sons has disturbed me deeply. "I have one son," she writes, "who attended both a church-supported school and a State college. He came out of both schools believing there was something fundamental wrong with the American way of life and that something must be done to remedy it. Try as hard as I could I have not been able to erase these thoughts from his mind. If he had any teaching at all, he would strengthen his faith in this country and help him appreciate it. I could never tell it."

I have another son who is now attending a State teachers college. Last year he had an atheist as his English teacher. This same teacher taught a devil's name of ten different gods. The contents of which prompted my son to write a formal statement of one of the causes. The next day a copy of the statement was sent to the school.

### Religion Condemned

The essay, "The end of the world," which I have read, is the most frank and direct Communist propaganda that I have ever read. The very subject itself, despite the fact that the Communist mind of Communism has worked on for years. The overall aim and purpose is to create modern civilization to the point where most of the world is completely destroyed.

I am not referring to the fact that the end of the world is a threat, but to the fact that the Communist mind is a threat. The Communist mind is a threat to the American way of life. The Communist mind is a threat to the American people. The Communist mind is a threat to the American future. The Communist mind is a threat to the American soul. The Communist mind is a threat to the American nation. The Communist mind is a threat to the American world. The Communist mind is a threat to the American universe. The Communist mind is a threat to the American everything.

### On Academic Freedom

Every American college youth should know all there is to know about Communism and Socialism. But from an atheist who might be to convert the student to the cause of some other collection of ideas, that is the worst of the situation. At the same time, many teachers on Communism and Socialism. The problem is not to teach the Communist and Socialism, but to teach the American way of life. The American way of life is the American way of thought. The American way of thought is the American way of action. The American way of action is the American way of life.

### College Interval Needed

No matter how you look at it, the fact is that the American way of life is the American way of thought. The American way of thought is the American way of action. The American way of action is the American way of life. The American way of life is the American way of thought. The American way of thought is the American way of action. The American way of action is the American way of life. The American way of life is the American way of thought. The American way of thought is the American way of action. The American way of action is the American way of life.

# Dale Carnegie

Author of "HOW TO WIN FRIENDS AND INFLUENCE PEOPLE"

## Know How To Be Thankful

MRS. M. NORTHRUP, N. Y., is a courageous woman. Read on and see if your courage would sustain you if you had to experience all she went through.

First, her husband who had held a responsible position in a bank which served a large area of wealthy farmers and small town folk, and who was on the school board, active in civic and church work in various capacities, as well as being much-liked and respected in the community, suddenly, after ten years of building up his prestige, found himself out of a job when his bank closed practically overnight.

Not only was his job gone, but due to loans he himself had made at the bank his respect was injured. Worst of all, many unpleasant and unfounded remarks were made about him. Then for years he found only odd jobs to do for short periods of time. He was nearing middle-age and that was the reason for many of his rejections when applying for work. Mrs. Northrup taught school to keep the family going, but this only tended to increase Mr. Northrup's feeling of inferiority. Finally he got a position, at \$150 a month—most inadequate for their needs and certainly not enough to bolster his morale. But he worked hard and developed the department where he held his position.

Then came a series of physical ailments, no doubt the direct result of his mental difficulties. By and by, he resorted to drink. He turned against his wife, and would leave home for days at a time, returning each time to plead for forgiveness. Eventually he found his burden too heavy to carry and laid down his life.

Mrs. Northrup who had struggled to carry her family's responsibilities, and had worked hard to build up her husband's morale suddenly felt that it had all been absolutely futile. She had loved her husband and she didn't want to go on without him, although she had the child to live for. She cast no blame on the one who had made her life so difficult. She was even glad she had married him rather than one of the other men she might have married.

So on this she built her future. On this she built her young son's morale, who never seemed to feel the slightest criticism of his father. (Mrs. Northrup says she was grateful to her child for that.)

So she started anew, is still teaching, renting rooms and making a home for young college girls who she feels should have a homelike place, and doing all she can to bring happiness into her son's life.

But where her courage looms up greatest is in her remark that she has had so much more to be thankful for than so many people she knows.

# THIS WEEK IN Washington

**SURPRISINGLY**, the administration military aid bill went through the House without much fuss or the heavy lobbying which had been anticipated. However, with the new Republican charges of "utter failure" of the administration foreign policy in the MacArthur "infidelity" report, it is expected that some fireworks will result when debate opens in the Senate.

The Senate Joint Armed Services and Foreign Relations Committee which had made the MacArthur investigation had voted not to file a report, to let the matter drop, since most every word of testimony except some very secret military matters had been made public and the American people had a chance to make up their own minds. But some of the GOP members saw a chance to make some political hay, so they got up the report which made public criticism of the President and the administration foreign policy as a result of the MacArthur matter.

Senator Wayne Morse of Oregon, however, refused to sign the GOP document, declaring the President was justified in firing MacArthur, and, as a matter of fact, it was the President's duty to do so. Also Senator Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts sought to pour oil over the troubled waters, although he was one of the signers of the document. But it appeared the administration may take up the challenge and make an issue of the MacArthur matter, since that is what the GOP apparently seeks. So we may be hearing more and more about MacArthur, as he appeared headed for a Senate committee or some other such post.

A flurry of flood control bills and some interesting legislation in favor of the Missouri valley authority came to the table of the recent House in Missouri and Kansas. Senator James A. Frank of the army engineers, although working to get through what is known as the Flood Act, has come in for some criticism by members of a House public works subcommittee. Congressman Clark Mages of Missouri, a member of the committee, has specifically charged private power companies with creating the false impression that it believes in and teaches according to the American way of life and then converts to going and immature minds the lives and souls of an alien philosophy.

I believe, of course, that the great majority of American teachers are devoted to the American way of life. However, there are so many instances like those described by the mother who is concerned for her two sons that we must give recognition to the great danger in the country's college of secondary schools which creates the false impression that it believes in and teaches according to the American way of life and then converts to going and immature minds the lives and souls of an alien philosophy.

How empty traveling, how vain is art, but as it mends the life and soothes the heart.

All knowledge is lost which ends in the knowing, for every truth we know is a candle given us to work by, and all the knowledge you can have is to use it for the highest purpose.

—John Ruskin

# OUT OF THE WOOD SHED



# Economic Highlights . . . . .

**Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual** — National and International Problems Inseparable From Local Welfare.

General Eisenhower is willing to run for the Presidency. His pick is the Republican ticket, but, failing that, he'll run as a Democrat if the nomination is offered. And it is possible that he could be persuaded to run as a third party candidate.

That in the gist of a very interesting article by Harold Lavine, a New York editor, which is the lead story of the September American Mercury.

According to it, General Eisenhower will not announce his intentions so long as he wears the uniform. Short of war, he will complete his job of getting Western Europe's military program rolling early next year. At that time, a declaration may be expected.

General Eisenhower didn't always feel this way, says Mr. Lavine. He honestly didn't want to be President or anything else that would keep him solidly in the public eye. He wanted to retire and take it fairly easy. The job as head of Columbia University looked like just what the doctor ordered. But, administration came quickly. Eisenhower found that, like all universal efforts, he must give his principal efforts to raising money. As Mr. Lavine puts it, "He was a cross between a traveling salesman and a professional after-dinner speaker, and didn't enjoy it a bit."

Apparently he now realizes that he will be a public figure all his life, regardless of personal inclinations, and so, as one of his friends has said, "He might as well go out for the big job." His military reputation is, of course, completely secure. And most important of all, writes Mr. Lavine, "Eisenhower believes in the policy the United States is pursuing in Europe with an almost religious fervor. In his mind, it's a crusade. He would consider the election of Republican Senator Robert A. Taft or someone holding the same ideas concerning foreign policy as nothing short of a national and world catastrophe."

Eisenhower support within the Republican party is potent and it has joined together on this point certain men whose dislike for each other has been proverbial. As an example, it has been reliably reported that Governor Dewey and Senator Taft, sworn political enemies, have agreed to work for the General's nomination. Harold Chapman is for him. And so are such powerful men as Governor Warren and Senators Saltonstall and Lodge.

What are the Eisenhower views on the big issues? They are clearly known to all in the matter of foreign policy and the Western military build-up. On domestic issues, much less is known about his thinking. Mr. Lavine says this: "Given a choice between the Republican and Democratic nominations, Eisenhower would grab the former. On domestic issues, he thinks far more like a Republican than a Democrat. Though he may favor certain of the New Deal policies, he dislikes the philosophy of paternalism which the New Deal represents."

If Mr. Lavine is correct in his convincing appraisal of the Eisenhower attitude, a first-class scrap is in the making. Senator Taft now

## GRASS ROOTS OPINION

Lake Orion, Mich., Weekly Review: "Britain has embraced Socialism completely, turning away from the political philosophy that made her the greatest nation on earth. France, too, has embraced the theory of Socialism. In the Chamber of Deputies at the moment an alarming number of Communists hold seats and by power of numbers dictate a Socialist concept of government that is but a few steps from Communism."

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# your brain budget

1. What famous ruler played the harp: (a) David, (b) Nero, (c) Frederick the Great?
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4. In what country was John Calvin born: (a) Germany, (b) Austria, (c) France?
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ANSWERS TO PUZZLE NO. 149

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2. Plague	25. To starve
3. Dejected	26. A hole
4. Was shocked	27. Correlative
5. Man's	28. Either
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County of Oxford, ss. Town of Bethel

To Walter E. Bartlett  
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You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine, to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bethel qualified to vote, to assemble at Odeon Hall on the second Monday of September, the same being the tenth day of said month, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one at nine o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in their votes upon the following Referendum Questions and Proposed Constitutional Amendments.

## Referendum Question No. 1

"Shall a bond issue be ratified for the purposes set forth in 'An Act to Authorize the Issuance of Bonds in the Amount of Twenty-Seven Million Dollars on Behalf of the State of Maine for the Purpose of Building State Highways,' passed by the 95th Legislature?"

## Referendum Question No. 2

"Shall a bond issue be ratified in an amount not to exceed \$2,500,000 as set forth in 'An Act to Authorize the Construction of a Toll Bridge Across the Penobscot River Between the Cities of Bangor and Brewer,' passed by the 95th Legislature?"

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## Referendum Question No. 4

"Shall the act passed by the 95th Legislature, making the combination highway and railroad bridge across Fore River, when constructed, a toll bridge until all the bonds issued for such construction have been retired, be accepted?"

## Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 1

"Shall the constitution be amended as proposed by a resolution of the legislature to remove the provision that the treasurer shall not be eligible more than 6 years successively?"

## Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 2

"Shall the constitution be amended as proposed by a resolution of the legislature providing that direct initiative of legislation shall require not less than 10% of the total vote for governor as cast in the last previous gubernatorial election?"

## Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 3

"Shall the constitution be amended as proposed by a resolution of the legislature to increase from 5% to 7% the limitation of municipal indebtedness?"

## Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 4

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## Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 5

"Shall the constitution be amended as proposed by a resolution of the legislature to exempt rental agreements with the Maine School Building Authority from the limitations of municipal indebtedness?"

## Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 6

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## Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 7

"Shall the constitution be amended as proposed by a resolution of the legislature to provide for a bond issue in the amount of \$3,000,000, the proceeds of which to be expended for the erection of a state office building?"

## Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 8

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The polls will be open at nine o'clock, Eastern Standard Time, in the forenoon and will be closed at seven o'clock in the afternoon. The selectmen will be in session at their office on Saturday, September 8, 1951 for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

HEREOF, FAIL, NOT and have you there and then this warrant with your doings thereon.

Given under our hands in the Town of Bethel this 13th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty one.

Ernest F. Blase  
John H. Carter  
James C. Bartlett  
Selectmen of the Town of Bethel

A true copy.  
Walter E. Bartlett, Constable  
NOTE: The polls may be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon and shall be opened not later than ten o'clock in the forenoon. They shall be kept open until seven o'clock in the afternoon and shall then be

## BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edna C. Abbott

The railroad station at Bryant Pond was broken into during Friday night, Aug. 31, and nearly thirty dollars belonging to the station agent, Robert C. Crockett, was stolen from a drawer. An effort was made, without success, to open the safe, as the handles were broken and the front battered.

Mrs. Bertha Houghton fractured her right wrist, Thursday, while on a trip to Harpswell with Mrs. Constance Alger and Mrs. Mildred Westcott. She was taken to Brunswick for treatment and x-rays, and her arm was placed in a cast. She is now gaining as well as possible at her home.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson, who have been at Joy Cottage during July and August, returned home to Paterson, N. J., Saturday.

Franklin Grange met Saturday night with a good attendance. Past Masters Night was observed with Carl Brooks in the Master's Chair, Dana Dudley was Overseer and Harris Hathaway, Lecturer. Other Past Masters attending were Albert Russ, Ellis Davis, Ralph Bacon and Mrs. Lettie Brooks.

The following program was presented:  
Song by Grange "Quilting Party"  
Description of trip to Aroostook County by Ralph Bacon  
Address "Modern Trends in Education" by Thomas Abbott, South Paris

Closing Song  
A two burner hot plate, bought by the Home and Community Welfare Committee was presented to the Grange by Mrs. Edith A. Hathaway.

Refreshments were served.  
Each member is requested to bring something for an auction at the next meeting, Sept. 15. A program will be arranged by the Home and Community Welfare Committee.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sanderson have a new Plymouth.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Flaherty and son, Larry, have returned to Lawrence, Mass., after spending a week in Waterford.

Miss Joyce Pike of Portland flew to Batavia, N. Y., to visit her family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pike, who are at Batavia Downs with their race horses.

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Mrs. Fred M. Cole accompanied by Miss Grace Mountfort and Mrs. Leslie Abbott were the guests of Mrs. Gladys DeWeaver at New Sharon, Friday.

Mrs







## CLASSIFIED AD SECTION

## FOR SALE

Full Line of Bicycle Parts and Accessories. Repairing. 1 used English bicycle. 1 used 26 inch wheel bicycle. RODNEY EAMES, Upstairs at Robert York's, Chapin Street.

FOR SALE - 6 and 8 inch Pine Clapboards, well-seasoned lumber at reasonable prices. O. K. CLIFF, Ford, South Paris.

I HAVE NEW SWATCHES of cool summer materials from which to choose your Spencer Garments. ELIZABETH LORD, Bethel. Tel. 184.

FOR SALE at the Citizen Office - Typewriter Ribbons for Underwood, Royal, Remington, Nolesse, L. C. Smith and Corona machines. Ribbons for Remington, Sundstrand, Dalton, Victor, and Corona adding machines, \$1.00 each. Pen and Typewriter carbon papers.

FOR SALE - Second hand hot air furnace with either one-pipe or pipe top. EDWARD CASEY, West Bethel.

FOR SALE - House on Vernon Street. Inquire WILBUR SWEET, EER, Mechanic Street. Tel. 38-2.

GLADS For Sale. At Newton's Glad Gardens. MRS. ROY NEWTON, West Bethel, Maine.

FOR SALE - 1950 11 ft. Crosley Shriviner, slightly used Florence oil and heater, Colman oil heater (pot burner), Cory coffee maker (gas two burner - aluminum tops), Coca Cola cooler, nine leather cushion counter stools, plates, cups, ice cream dishes, glasses and silverware, Smith-Corona cash register adding machine, ice cream cabinet. All priced for quick sale. Contact BUDY CLOUGH.

FOR SALE - African Violets; Azalea pot, Plant food, Special potting soil, Geraniums, sweet peas, cut flowers, gladioli. MRS. C. G. BYRNE, Bethel, Maine.

ROOSTERS - 5 to 6 lbs. each - can be had alive or dressed. Telephone 42-32. LAURIER KITTREDGE.

FOR SALE - Six-week old Pigeons. Also laying pullets, Black-crowned night herons. STANLEY ROBERTS.

FOR SALE - Lot 200 ft. x 200 ft. and 18x22 building. Good start on a home. Insulated, double flooring, picture window, water heater, sink, bath, lavatory. Cash or terms. HENRY H. HASTINGS, Bethel. 36p

FURNACE - Hot Air, one pipe. Inquire Citizen Office.

One Boy's New Bicycle - 26 inch - 1950. Full line of bicycle parts and accessories. Repairing. RODNEY EAMES, upstairs at Robert York's, Chapin Street.

FOR SALE - 1 1/2 H. P. Ford V-8 motor, first class condition. Forge. Or. 2 1/2 battery radios. Large cooking heater. Oldsmobile nickel grill and rear springs. Pontiac radiator. Ox yokes. Grapple hay fork and track. FRED J. LOVE, 107 West Bethel.

TO LET - One or two heated rooms. Inquire Box X, CITIZEN, Bethel.

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FOR SALE - House on Vernon Street. Bethel. Ten rooms, plenty of closets, two fireplaces - one with heater, built-in bookcases, modern kitchen, large pantry, garage and stable, cemented basement, hot water heat, 10 acres with three good house lots. Available immediately. TEL. 74. Bethel. 211

OXFORD: five-room house, cement foundation. Electricity; spring water piped in. Small down payment. No. 64, Congress Building, Portland; Tel. 2-6283.

Tapscott Realty Offers Woodwork - The last in Franklin Co., modern every respect. Doing good business. Age reason for sale. - Store, Lamoine Falls. Lunches, ice cream machine, beer take out. Oscar going into service. - Hotel, excellent lounge doing good amount of business. Terms - Village store, second floor. Perfect proposition. Well equipped and stocked. Terms - 40 acre farm near Augusta. 11,000. Very good. - 15 acre farm near Winthrop and Lakes, 11,000. Terms - New perfect conditioned 3 room home with bath, with 30 acres of land on Sunday River Rd. in Newry only 3 miles from Bethel. Wonderful location for poultry business. land borders river. - Get information on these properties and if you who read this ad have property for sale my selling incentive plan will help you. No expense unless property is sold. TAPSCOTT REALTY AGENCY, First Nat. Bank Bldg., Farmington, Me. Tel. 2880.

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## MISCELLANEOUS

RUBBISH HAULED TO Town Dump at any time. BENNETT'S GARAGE, Phone 75.

GARBAGE COLLECTED IN Bethel Village weekly at reasonable price. DONALD CHRISTIAN, Tel. 152-3.

Leave Shoes at the Bethel Spa for repair and clothes to clean Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. EXCEL CLEANERS AND DYERS, INC., Auburn, Maine.

FLOOR SANDING - I have a floor sander and edger. S. H. BROWN.

Place orders now for cedar posts and poles - all sizes and lengths. Peeled lumber for log cabins. JOHN KORHONEN, R. F. D. 2, Bethel.

LEAVE SHOES AT KARL DAVIS for repair. RICHARD'S SHOE SHOP, Gorham, N. H. 404

## WANTED

WANTED - USED TYPEWRITERS. If you have a typewriter which you do not need, why not turn it into money and make it available for someone who really needs it? Phone 130. THE CITIZEN OFFICE.

WANTED TO BUY: Second-hand coal-burning parlor stove. Must be in good condition and reasonably priced. Telephone 29-202.

WANTED - Two or three rooms furnished. MRS. MARTHA ENMAN, Tel. 14-12.

WANTED - Yellow birch, rock maple and ash logs, either roadside or delivered. Also cement and cinder blocks for sale. FOREST PRODUCTS CO., Locke Mills, Maine. Phone 21-24.

WANTED - to buy - used desk. Must be large size, have drawer space. May be roll top. Please call 45.

## STORK SHOWER

Mrs. Elton Coolidge was tendered a stork shower at the home of Mrs. Earl Cummings Friday evening by Mrs. Ruth Sorofman and Mrs. Floyd Coolidge. Refreshments included a decorated shower cake made by Mrs. Wallace Clark. Those present were Mrs. Malcolm Mundi, Mrs. Ernest Craig, Mrs. Frank Hunt, Mrs. Margery Rowe, Mrs. Everett Merrill, Mrs. Wallace Clark, Mrs. Leroy Brown, Mrs. Homer Smith Jr., Mrs. Cleve Waterhouse, Mrs. Irving Cummings, Mrs. Earl Cummings, Mrs. Floyd Coolidge, Mrs. Ruth Sorofman, all of Bethel, Mrs. Albert Morton, North Newry; Mrs. Herbert Woodworth, Mrs. Alice Woodworth, South Paris; Mrs. Murray Cummings, Cheryl Cummings and Mrs. Guy Parker Jr., Locke Mills.

## MAINE FAIR DATES

Guilford Athletic Assoc., Guilford, Sept. 8  
Oxford County Agric. Soc., Norway-South Paris, Sept. 10-15  
West Washington Agric. Soc., Cherryfield, Sept. 11-13  
York County Agric. Assoc., Acton, Sept. 12-15  
Emblem Agric. Assoc., Emblem, Sept. 15  
Franklin County Agric. Soc., Farmington, Sept. 15-21  
Bradfield Grange Fair Assoc., Bradfield, Sept. 23  
Cumberland Farmers' Club, West Cumberland, Sept. 24-30  
Cochewagon Agric. Soc., Monmouth, Sept. 26-27  
World's Fair Assoc., Inc., North Waterford, Sept. 28-29  
West Oxford Agric. Soc., Fryeburg, Oct. 2-6  
Litchfield Farmers' Club, Litchfield, Oct. 2-3  
Sagadahoc Agric. & Hort. Soc., Topsham, Oct. 9-11  
Androscoggin Agric. Soc., New Gloucester, Oct. 12-20

THIS WAS ADVERTISING ONCE BUT NOW THE NEWSPAPER DOES IT BETTER

## REID STATE PARK TO A GREAT EXTENT STILL UNDEVELOPED

Those who visit the new Reid State Park on the outskirts of Georgetown for the first time leave it with mixed emotions.

The opinion is unanimous that this 1,200 acre tract, the great gift of Walter E. Reid to the citizens of Maine, is one of the most magnificent coastal areas along the entire Atlantic coast, one whose recreational possibilities and scenic values are almost inexhaustible.

You drive to a parking area not more than fifty yards from a mile-long beach of clean sand washed by the uncontaminated waters of the open Atlantic. A salt water lagoon of several acres in extent, warmed by the sun, offers safe bathing for the very young, for the inexperienced and for those who like warmer water than the open ocean provides. On the opposite side of the parking area there is a little bay, protected by reefs, where gently sloping sands form yet another safe playground for tots.

At one end of the mile-long beach a coastal ledge rises gently to a height of fifty feet or more making a natural grandstand for those who want to just sit and watch the swimmers or to enjoy a picnic lunch while looking out to sea.

The beach itself is ideal for swimming. The sand is hard-packed and long, lazy rollers provide the very best of surf bathing. The view from almost any point in the park is beautiful beyond description.

All this is what the casual visitor sees at Reid Park. What only a few see, and fewer know about, is that a still greater area lies undeveloped and inaccessible. To go to it you have to walk the length of Mile Beach where you not only find another beach half a mile long but also the sandy Little River which offers several miles of the most excellent bathing, particularly for youngsters. This magnificent part of the Park will remain virtually inaccessible until a road that will cost close to \$100,000 is built.

So much for the natural assets of this wonderful place that is owned by the people of Maine. On the debit side is the lack of facilities that has been all too evident on past week ends when the weather has been fine and over 2,500 people have been in the Park and another 1,000 have been turned away.

The Park lacks adequate parking facilities. It has no bathhouses so that bathers must come prepared for swimming or must don their bathing suits in their cars. The toilet facilities and the fresh water supply are inadequate. These shortcomings are only a minor annoyance on week days but on week-ends they cause discomfort and inconvenience.

This state of affairs is a cause of grave concern to Walter E. Reid who lives near the Park's entrance and who has a chance to observe and talk to those who visit the area. Developed to its utmost he points

## GILEAD

Mrs. Florence Holder, Corres., - John Watson of Springfield, Mass., spent the holidays with his niece, Mrs. Florence Holder.

Mr. and Mrs. Amedee Fiset returned home Saturday after spending their vacation with relatives in Louisville, Kentucky, Washington, D. C., and New York City.

Fred Leighton has returned to Gray to the home of his sister, Mrs. Josephine Coie.

Mrs. Hilda O'Brien and children of Gorham spent the holidays with Mrs. F. M. Holder.

The village school opened Tuesday with Mrs. Frances Bennett of Bethel as teacher.

Albert Pierce of Falmouth and Edward Evans of Cumberland were guests of Mrs. Florence Holder Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight attended Oxford Pomona Grange at Upton Tuesday.

out that the Park could accommodate tens of thousands of people who could park their thousands of cars easily. Clean, adequate facilities for dressing and comfort would make the Park one of the outstanding recreational areas on the continent. He is impatient that the state does not see its way clear to go forward with their entire development at once so that Maine people and their summer guests may enjoy the fullest facilities of the Park without delay. He is not in favor of the 21 cents plus four cents tax admission fee that is charged by the state claiming that it imposes a burden on those with large families and small incomes.

To understand his viewpoint it is necessary to understand the man himself. A poor Georgetown boy he left Maine to become internationally famous in industry and business, principally in the automotive and shipping business.

Leaving Maine and its people he long ago decided to make a highly valuable gift to his native state and began acquiring the property that is now Reid Park. He has resisted all offers, some of them highly attractive, by private interests who wanted to purchase some of his holdings before he turned them in the form of the Park over to the people of Maine. The value of the whole tract, particularly in terms of the future, is incalculable. It is

that he wants to see his dream of tens of thousands of his fellow citizens enjoying the Park to the fullest come true in as short a time as possible.

Governor Frederick G. Payne and State Park Commissioner Director Harold J. Dyer think it is possible to develop the undeveloped part of the Park without cost to the taxpayer by following the procedure of New Hampshire and other states. Money is raised by a bond issue and the bonds are amortized from admittance fees. An act of the Maine legislature is necessary to carry out this plan and such a move would find much favor with a great

## IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Foster arrived home Sunday from Lake Umbagog, Ont.

Miss Nancy Carver returned last week from Camp Ridgeway, Cooper's Mills.

Miss Irene Wight has gone to Thomaston, Conn., where she has a teaching position.

Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts and family of China, Maine, visited Mrs. Fannie Carter, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Dunn of South Portland were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Bartlett.

Mrs. Kenneth Wight visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Verville at Haverhill, Mass., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ramsdell returned Saturday after spending nine weeks at Farmington.

Miss Joan Wilby of Augusta was a week end guest of Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf and family.

Leonard Sheehan of Lowell, Mass., was a week end holiday guest of Robert Greenleaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Stowell of Ridgelyville spent the week end with Evans Wilson and family.

Mrs. Rena Foster has returned to her home in Newton, Mass., after spending the summer in Bethel.

Misses Marguerite Cotton and Rebecca Philbrick were at Moosehead Lake several days last week.

Miss Laura Wilson returned Saturday from Winthrop, where she has been employed for the summer.

James Browne, USN, is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Browne, on leave from Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. L. E. Davis returned Wednesday from Bath Memorial Hospital, where she has been a patient.

Miss Laura Belle Bennett has returned to Gorham for her second year at the State Teachers' College.

Rev. and Mrs. William Penner and son, Billy, of Barnet, Vt., were at their camp at Northwest Bethel the first of the week.

many people it would impose no tax burden on Maine's already heavily-taxed people. The present admission fee, or even a lower fee, would pay for the further development it is believed.

So far as adding facilities or improvements to the part of the Park now open Interior Dyer says that plans will be complete in two weeks for an improved water system and for a building to house toilets and dressing rooms. Work will be started next spring but unless there is a lifting of restrictions on building before that time the completion of the dressing facilities will have to be postponed until a future date.

Parking facilities are the part of the Park now opened cannot be enlarged to any great extent because of lack of space, he said.

That, then, is the status of Reid Park at the moment. In the final analysis its future is in the hands of the people of Maine. If they are content to let it remain in its partially completed state then that is the way it will remain. If, however,

they want a Park that will be the pride and joy of everyone they will have to make their wishes known to the legislators who will translate it into action.

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When we take advantage of public areas and develop them to their fullest, we will have no right to complain if the day comes when the most desirable parts of Maine are barred from the common citizen forever.

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Mrs. Ruth Dorion returned from Rangley the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred MacKenzie, Lynn, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Howe and family returned Monday from a week's camping trip in Pittsford, Vt.

Miss Jackie Macfarlane and friend, Miss Mary Jane Crockett of Boston, spent the week end in town.

Mrs. Frank Lowell and daughter, Mary, were guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wear, York Beach.

Miss Marguerite Merrill of New York City visited several days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Merrill.

Miss Katharine Kellogg and Miss Marilyn Boyker, Boston, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boyker.

Pte Donald Brooks of Fort Dix, N. J., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Grover Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lord and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Knight at Montpelier, Vt., during the week end.

Miss Barbara Keenan went to Boston Sunday where she will begin training in the Peter Bent Brigham hospital.

Miss Christine Willard went to Gorham Wednesday to enter the freshman class at Gorham State Teachers' College.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders returned Monday from a 10 days vacation spent in Quebec City, Montreal and Houlton.

Mrs. Ethel Haselton and Miss Eugenia Haselton were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haselton at Stonington.

Mrs. Asa Bartlett returned Saturday from the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary, Portland, where she underwent eye surgery.

## School Supplies

Zipper Note Books, Binders, Fillers  
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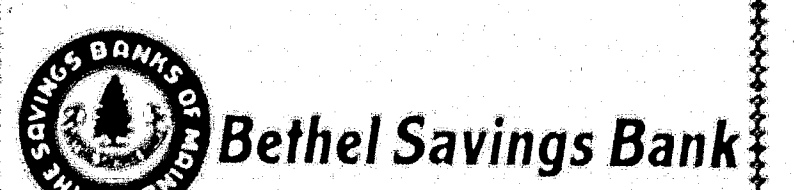
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## CENTRAL SERVICE STATION

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## GREENWOOD CENTER

— Sandra Martin, Correspondent —

Harold Churchill is adding onto the roof of his house.

Kent Martin, Rowe Hill, was a caller at Beryl Martin's recently.

Mr and Mrs Beryl Martin called at Edgar Halsey's recently.

Mr and Mrs George Ridley, West Paris, called at Beryl Martin's Wednesday evening.

Mrs Ray Halsey, Alfred Tibbels, and Roland, Curt and Sandra Martin were in Rumford Wednesday.

Roy Martin is building a tea room below his home.

## This Week's Patterns by AUDREY LANE



No. 2254 is cut in half sizes only 14, 16, 18, 20, 22 and 24. No. 2505 is cut in half sizes only 14, 16, 18, 20, 22 and 24. No. 2505 is cut in half sizes only 14, 16, 18, 20, 22 and 24.

## EASY DOES IT

Give your meat loaf a new twist. It can be made in 15 minutes. It can be made in 15 minutes. It can be made in 15 minutes.

Combine the beef with these new baked stuffed potatoes when making the meat loaf. When the potatoes are baked, add some finely chopped onion, salt and pepper. Bake in a moderate (375°F) oven.

Recipe of the Week: Walnut Shrimp. (Makes 6 1/2-inch shrimp). 1 cup shortening, 1 cup sifted brown sugar, 1 cup granulated sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 eggs, 3 cups sifted flour, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1 cup chopped walnuts, Cream together shortening, sugar, salt and eggs. Add dry ingredients which have been sifted together and blend thoroughly. Add walnuts and mix well. Shape into two balls, 1/2 inches in diameter. Roll in heavy wheat paper and chill with a sharp knife. Bake in moderate (375°F) oven.

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## SONGO POND

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Correspondent —

Mr and Mrs Hollis Grindle and Gloria attended the movies at Norway Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Maurice Beaupre have employment at the corn shop in Fryeburg.

Mr and Mrs Hollis Grindle and Gloria visited her sister in Locke Mills Monday. Mrs Zella Smith, also called on Mr and Mrs Owen Curtis, South Bethel.

Kippy Cummings, West Paris, spent a few days last week with his aunt, Mrs Don Cross.

Mr and Mrs Don Cross and baby were calling at her sisters in West Paris Monday night.

Ed Murray is on the sick list.

Friends of Howard Jowell, son of Mr and Mrs Ray Jewell, will be sorry to know he is in the Maine General Hospital with a light case of polio.

Mrs Muir Russell of Truro, Nova Scotia, Mr and Mrs Hubert McKenzie of Somersworth, N. H., visited at George Logan's over the week end. Mr and Mrs Robert Estes called there Monday.

Miss Mary Hall returned home from the St. Louis Hospital, but is still under the doctor's care.

Mr and Mrs Archer Knight Sr. of Kennebunkport, were calling at Clyde Hall's Monday.

Athalie Hall returned home from Farrington's, Tuesday night.

Mr and Mrs Edroy Curtis and son, Gregory, and mother, Mrs Henry, Mr and Mrs William Martin and two boys of Mechanic Falls spent Monday at Ralph Kimball's.

E C Lapham is better and able to be out a little.

Mrs Phyllis Lapham is working at the Bethel Inn.

Mr and Mrs Howard Lapham have returned to their home after spending the past month with Mrs Phyllis Lapham and children.

Miss Blanche Emery is staying with Phyllis Lapham.

Mrs Beatrice Littlehale, Correspondent.

Cpl William Adams was home with his parents, Mr and Mrs William Adams, over the week end.

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## GREENWOOD CITY

— Mrs. Colleen Morgan, Correspondent —

Mr and Mrs Leonas Holt and children were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Howard Gardner at South Paris.

Mrs Clyde Morgan was ill last week.

Mrs Ruth Hastings of East Bethel was a recent caller at her mother's, Mrs Linnie Cole's.

Mrs Olga Hakala, who has been in the hospital as the result of an automobile accident, is able to return home.

School opened on Tuesday for the fall term.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Morgan and Mr and Mrs Leonas Holt were at Long Pond, Waterford, Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Roland Hayes and family motored to Bar Harbor for the holiday.

Mrs Stanley Hakala had a hostess party at her home on Thursday evening.

Mrs Roland Hayes was in Portland on Friday.

Mr and Mrs Ernest Cyr and family were recent callers at her mother's, Edna Tammlander's.

The little daughter born to Mr and Mrs Bruno Lelno (nee Ruth Morgan) last Tuesday at Norway hospital, has been named Katrina Ruth.

Mr and Mrs Galen Curtis and family were callers at Carroll Notag's, South Paris, Friday evening.

ALBANY-WATERFORD

Lillian L. Brown, Correspondent

Mr and Mrs Alton White accompanied by relatives of Massachusetts and Evelyn Brown spent the week end and holiday at Moosehead Lake.

Mr and Mrs Stanley Lord and daughters of Bethel spent an afternoon recently with the Ernest Browns.

The Roy Moxeys are entertaining friends from Connecticut.

Don Brown had dinner with his parents, Sunday, and took them for a ride through North Norway and Norway Center.

Mr and Mrs Herbert Drew of Kennebunk spent the week end at their place here.

A party of six from Massachusetts arrived Friday to visit Mr and Mrs Ezra Young who are sojourning at Roy Lord's.

Emma Ewins and sister, Carrie Lord, of Rumford, were in this place Sunday calling on relatives and friends.

Theodore Brown bulldozed a road which will be used for hauling timber from Sawin Mountain.

Ernest Wentworth has bought a sixty acre timber lot of Hugh Stearns where George Wentworth will start operating this week.

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## SKILLINGTON

— Mrs. Colleen Morgan, Correspondent —

Myrna Blake, having spent several weeks with relatives in South Paris, has returned to her home.

Mrs Leola English and Mr and Mrs Carl Marston of Needham, Mass., were week end and holiday guests of Mr and Mrs Frank Trimback.

Kaye Blake spent last week with relatives at South Paris.

John Wight and son, Gerald, spent the week end in Berlin, N. H.

Mrs Mabel Grover of Waterford was a week end guest of her brother, Frank Trimback, and family.

Mr and Mrs Robert Baker and family spent the holiday with his mother at Dixfield.

Betty Ann Butters spent last week with her grandmother, Mrs William Danforth at Portland.

Mr and Mrs Andrew L Breckenridge of Hamden, Conn., were guests of Mr and Mrs Herbert Tift, Saturday.

Walter Brown was at his home over the weekend.

Mrs Sophie Conner, Mrs Walter Brown and Ellen were guests last Thursday of Mrs Frank Bartlett.

Mr and Mrs Merton Brown visited her mother, Mrs Harold Jarvis, at Newry on Labor Day.

Mr and Mrs William Young called on their son, Harold Young, and family Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Harold Young and Mrs Harold Rolfe were in Rumford Friday.

Mr and Mrs Wesley Parker and children and Elmer Parker of Livermore Falls were guests of Mr and Mrs Rodney Hanscom on Labor Day.

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Round Mountain Grange No. 182 met at their Hall Monday evening September 3, with 14 members present.

The following program was presented by the Lecturer, Sister Alta Meserve.

Tableau: "In the Garden" Sister Edith Stearns and Sister Hazel Wardwell.

Roll Call: answered by verse from the Bible.

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## WEST PARIS

Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Corres.

## FLAVIN - PUTONEN

A candlelight double ring service performed at the Annisquam, Mass., Village Church last Sunday at five o'clock, by Rev Keith Munson of Palmer, former pastor, Miss Shirley Ann Putonen, daughter of Mr and Mrs Eric Putonen of 7 Vale Court, was united in marriage to Emory W Flavin, son of Mr and Mrs Wright Flavin of West Paris, Me.

The altar was decorated with white gladioli arranged by Miss Margaret Norton. Wearing white satin ballerina length gown with chantilly lace over bodice, and peplum of chantilly lace over skirt, the bride was given in marriage by her father. She carried a tear-drop cascade arranged with white gladioli with a center of baby orchids.

The maid of honor, Miss Dorothy Thibodeau of 40 Quarry St., wore a ballerina length gown of dusty rose nylon net over satin with matching satin bolero. She completed her costume with headpiece of stephanotis and teardrop cascade of eggshell gladioli.

Attired in ballerina length gown of aquamarine net over satin were the bridesmaids, Miss Evelyn Dabag of this city and Miss Barbara Boyle of Quincy. Their head pieces arranged with sweetheart roses corresponded with their bouquets arranged in teardrop cascades of pearly gladioli.

William Flavin, brother of the groom, was the best man. Robert Johnson of Quincy, cousin of the bride, and Gordon Emery of West Paris, Me., cousin of the groom, served as ushers.

Over 100 relatives and intimate friends from New York, Maine, New Jersey and Foxboro, Quincy, Stoneham, Mass., and this city attended the wedding which was followed by a reception on the lawn of the bride's home. In the receiving line was the bride's mother, wearing navy blue taffeta with white accessories and a corsage of red sweetheart roses and stephanotis. The groom's mother was unable to attend the wedding because of illness.

The couple will reside in Salem, N. H. where the groom will teach in the high school.

The bride is a graduate of the Gloucester High School in 1949 and of the Schilling School of Music in London.

Mr Flavin was graduated from Bates College in 1948 and received his Master's degree from Boston University in 1951.

Services at the First Universalist Church will be resumed next Sunday morning. The pastor, Rev Earle W. Lippin, arrived home from Fergus Falls the last of the week.

Mr and Mrs Archie Spaulding from Wisconsin University have been guests of her parents, Mr and Mrs Wright Flavin.

Miss Priscilla Cole, R. N., of Boston was the week end guest of her parents Mr and Mrs Lorenzo Cole. Mary Jane Cole has returned from visiting her aunt in Connecticut and her brother and wife in New York.

## PAINE - HART

Miss Virginia Hart of Bethel and Ralph L. Paine of Oxford were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at the Universalist Manse by the Rev Eleanor B. Forbes.

## UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Juddins, Corres.

A pre-school clinic was held on Wednesday, Aug. 29, with Dr. Young of Auburn and the State Health Nurse of Rumford and Mrs. Lillian Hicks R. N. of Upton in attendance. Boost shots were given to those who needed it.

Pomona Grange was held here Tuesday this week, Sept. 4.

Several people have closed their summer camps and returned home.

Cedric A. Juddins was taken to the Rumford Community Hospital Monday evening where he underwent an appendectomy.

Mr and Mrs W. B. Cook of Red Spot Fishery Club have returned to their home in Port Chester, N. Y., after spending some time here.

Edgar M. Bailey, Jr., after spending a week with the Juddins' family, has returned to Bangor, and will go from there to Corham State Teachers' College. He was accompanied by his wife, though she will return to Upton for another ten days.

W. J. Kenyon is home from the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mr and Mrs R. W. Nelson, student minister, have returned to New Haven, Conn., where he attends Yale University.

The double ring service was used. They were attended by the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs Harley Hart. After a wedding trip they will reside in Bethel.

## BUSWELL - KNOX

Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock Miss Muriel A. Knox and John F. Buswell, both of Rockland, were married by Rev Eleanor B. Forbes at the Universalist Manse using the double ring service. Their attendants were Miss Lulu Knox, sister of the bride, and Eugene Buswell, brother of the groom.

Mrs Buswell is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Gerald Knox of Peru and was graduated from Dixfield High School. The groom is the son of Mr and Mrs Harry Buswell of Buckfield. He was educated in the Buckfield schools and served in the Navy.

Harry Jacobs is a surgical patient at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston.

Mrs Perry C. Mayhew suffered an ill turn last week which confined her to her bed but she is improving.

Miss Joyce Buck returned from the CMG Hospital, Lewiston Monday night.

Mrs Albert Nickerson of Farmington and Mrs Clarence Whitney of Showhegan were guests of Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Thursday.

Rev Weston Atwood, D. D., and Mrs. Cate of North Adams, Mass., Mrs. Addelyn Mann of Mount Pond and Rev Arthur Schenck of Carleton, Mass., were callers at the Universalist Manse last Thursday.

Norman Troulx, nephew of Mr and Mrs Elmer Ingalls, who has spent the past year with them has returned to his home in Portland to attend school.

Mrs Oscar Gallant and niece, Miss Clacie Gallant of South Paris returned home the last of the week after visiting her sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Merton Curtis.

Mrs Maude Day and Mr and Mrs Arthur Damon spent several days at Mrs Ray's camp, Locke Mills, returning Monday night.

## SOUTH ALBANY

Mrs. Roy Wardwell Corres.

Mr and Mrs Erwin Hutchinson were guests of Mr and Mrs Roy Wardwell Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs Omar Giberson from Bingham were Monday guests of Mr and Mrs Leon Kimball.

Mr and Mrs John Spinnay were in Bethel Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs Roy Wardwell were in Norway on Saturday also Edith and Lilla Stearns.

Gene Kimball who has spent the summer with his grandparents, returned to his home in North Norway Saturday.

W. A. Hersey called on Mr and Mrs Roy Wardwell one day last week.

Elmer Fogg from Harrison was in the place buying cattle last week. Earl Libby called on R. G. Wardwell Monday evening on business for the World's Fair.

The members of the Albany Benovolent Society held their annual meeting on Aug. 31. The following officers for the year 1952 were elected: Moderator, Rev Alvin Strong; president, Hazel M. Wardwell; vice-president, Annie E. Bumpus; secretary, Alice A. Wardwell; treasurer, Olive L. Spinnay.

Mr and Mrs Roy Wardwell, Lilla Stearns, Edith Stearns, and Alta Meserve attended Oxford Pomona Grange at Upton on Tuesday, Sept. 4.

## NUTTER NEW MAINE AGRICULTURE COMMISSIONER

Fred J. Nutter, Coriana dairyman and orchardist, is now Maine's Commissioner of Agriculture, replacing A. K. "Binks" Gardner of Orono who resigned recently to become manager of the Maine Potato Tax Program.

Nutter, appointed by Governor Frederick G. Payne, was for eleven years state chairman of the Production and Marketing Administration and has headed many Maine farm organizations. His farm consists of 1500 acres and grazes a herd of 150 registered Holstein-Friesian cattle. About 250 acres are in cultivation and Nutter was until recently a large potato grower and producer of canning crops.

Gardner, who describes his new job as "largely public relations" was the honor guest of a Department banquet at Hallowell last week.

His leadership was praised by Deputy Commissioner E. L. Newdick of Augusta, Francis G. Buzzell of Fryeburg, chief of the Department's Division of Animal Industry, Clayton P. Osgood of Hallowell, Inspection's chief, and George H. Chick of Monmouth, chief of the Division of Markets.

About 50 employees and their wives saw presentation of gifts, a traveling bag and a fly line.

## GROVER HILL - MASON

Mrs. Malcolm Mundt, Corres.

Mr and Mrs Dwight Morrill and family called at Myron Morrill's, Saturday.

Miss Frances Morrill spent the week end at Myron Morrill's. Mr and Mrs Myron Morrill, Mr and Mrs Laurice Morrill and family went to Lancaster Fair, Lancaster, N. H., Sunday.

Week end guests of Mr and Mrs Clyde Whitman were Mr and Mrs Arthur Whitman, Hartford, Conn., Mr and Mrs Paul Vlk and son, Bloomfield, Conn., and Winfield Whitman, Bartlett, N. H.

Fred Mundt spent Sunday and Monday with Mr and Mrs Malcolm Mundt and family.

Pfc John Mills was home for the week end.

Mrs Frank Cragin spent last week with Mr and Mrs Ernest Cragin and family and is spending this week with Mr and Mrs Malcolm Mundt and family.

Sunday callers at Mr and Mrs Myron Morrill's were: Mr and Mrs Roy Mills, Norway, and Mrs Herbert Kittredge and daughter, Bethel.

Sunday callers at Mr and Mrs Clyde Whitman's were Mr and Mrs James Goodrich, Portsmouth, N. H., Mr and Mrs Howard Grace and children, Kittery, Mrs Mildred Blake and son of Dummer, N. H., Mr and Mrs Sidney Rogers.

Mr and Mrs Lloyd Clark and Mrs E. T. Pearson and children spent the week end with Mr and Mrs Ernest Cragin.

Mr and Mrs Ernest Mundt spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Malcolm Mundt and family.

Monday callers at Mr and Mrs Myron Morrill's were Mr and Mrs Kenneth Boes and family of Rockland; Byron Abbott and Caroline of Portland; Carroll Abbott, West Bethel; Mr and Mrs Roger Thibault of Brunswick; Mr and Mrs Donald Morrill and family, Bethel.

Hospitality must be for service, and not for show, or it pulls down the host. Emerson.

## FREEZING PEACHES THIS YEAR?

"Peaches discolor readily," says Mrs Ruth DeCoteau, Home Demonstration Agent, of Oxford County, "and they will turn dark during the freezing storage or as soon as they are exposed to the air, unless they are especially treated. The addition of ascorbic acid directly to the sugar syrup will help prevent this or you can use a citric acid dip if you prefer. The citric acid dip is done before packing syrup or dry sugar, while the ascorbic acid is added directly to the sugar syrup.

1. Dip fully ripe sound peaches about 15 to 30 seconds in boiling water to loosen skins. The riper the fruit, the less scalding is needed.

2. Chill quickly in cold water 15 to 30 seconds. This stops the cooking action.

3. Slip off skins, pit and cut in sections. Handle fruit quickly to prevent darkening.

4. If using citric acid dip, place fruit at once in cold solution (1/4 teaspoon citric acid dissolved in 1 quart water) for 1 to 2 minutes. Drain and fill containers to within one inch from top.

5. Pack in 1 part by weight of sugar, to 3 or 4 parts by weight of fruit (1 cup sugar to 4 1/2 to 6 cups fruit).

6. When packing fruits in dry sugar, be sure to mix thoroughly until all sugar is dissolved and sufficient syrup is formed to cover the fruit when packed. If necessary press fruit down in package until syrup covers the fruit.

7. If you prefer a syrup a 50% to 60% syrup solution is often used.

el, Mr and Mrs Donald Whit-

ing and family of Bethel, N. Y.

in peaches when ascorbic acid is added. This syrup is made by using 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 cups of sugar to 2 pint of water (combining sugar with water, bring to a boil, stirring, lower heat and let simmer 2 or 3 minutes; then chill). This is a medium syrup.

8. If using ascorbic acid it is added to the cold syrup in the proportion of 1 teaspoon powdered ascorbic acid to 4 to 6 cups syrup. (Enough for 12 pint packages or 9 pounds of fruit).

9. Ascorbic acid is sometimes sold in combination with other ingredients. When such combinations are used, follow directions accompanying the package.

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## Years Ago

10 YEARS AGO

A week's observance of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Bryant Pond Baptist Church was held.

Carl Godwin was thrown while leading a cow and suffered a fractured wrist.

The 2,227 visitors at the Bethel Information booth on Railroad Street during July and August.

Mr and Mrs M. A. Malmey moved from Bethel to Wells.

20 YEARS AGO

George Thompson, superintendent of the N. & S. Co. mill injured his left hand severely on a buzz plane.

Reunions of the Edward, Vail and Jackson families were reported.

Death—Mrs Fred F. Bean.

30 YEARS AGO

Cars driven by Philip Barker and Allen Gott collided at the crossing of High and Elm Streets. No one was injured but one car lost a wheel.

West Bethel fair was postponed because of whooping cough.

Percy Robertson of the Naval Reserve, formerly of Bethel, had a leg amputated in a Brooklyn, N. Y. hospital.

Rev E. G. Miller of South Paris presided at a Universalist grove meeting at Bryant Pond. Other clergymen present were Little of Bethel, Markley of West Paris, Folson of Gardiner, and Wellington of Gorham, N. H.

Deaths—Austin Hutchinson.

40 YEARS AGO

The Deering Memorial Church at South Paris was dedicated. It was built through the generosity of William Deering of Exeter, N. H., a native of South Paris, and is a memorial to his parents, Mr and Mrs James Deering. Built in Tudor Gothic style of gray granite quarried at Bryant Pond, the interior is finished in quartered oak.

About 20 attended a Grange field day at Mr Freeman's cottage at Bryant Pond.

Deaths—Benjamin B. Bryant.

50 YEARS AGO

Local schools were to close for the middle day of Bethel Fair.

A reunion of the 23rd Maine regiment was held in Bethel. A large part of the regiment was recruited in this vicinity and several veterans were living in the vicinity.

Herman Mason returned home from the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo.

ALLOW ARCHERY HUNTING IN SOMERSET-FRANKLIN COUNTIES

First season bow hunting in two Maine counties Oct. 1-15, gets a shot in the arm with the issuance of an eight-page leaflet, "Archery Hunting in Maine."

The leaflet is published by The Maine Game and Fish Commission.

Howard Robertson, director of physical education, health and recreation in the State Education Department, paid for the cover of the leaflet.

Leaflets are being sent to every club in Maine and outside the state. The leaflet also lists the places where bow hunting is permitted and the rules and regulations.

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MISS RUTH M. DONAHUE, who left Tuesday to enter training at the New England Peabody Home for Cripple Children, Newton Center, Mass. She is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Errol Donahue of Mason Street, Bethel. Since graduating from Gould Academy in June, she has been employed in the Clifton office.

## Crookedness in Government

Recently, a group of 50 Cadets were expelled from West Point for cheating in examinations. These young men regarded as the cream of the present generation, have high scholastic records, come from good families and were chosen from thousands to carry on the traditions of one of the oldest and finest military schools in this country.

The boys cheated, they admit it, and charge in defense that others also cheated. They forget that two wrongs do not make one right. If this attitude prevails among these Cadets generally, and we believe it does, it offers a startling and vivid indictment of our present system of education, our philosophy of government, and the thinking of our people.

New methods of education introduced during the past three decades slanted to the Socialistic and Communist viewpoint have failed in the one essential that has made this country great, namely, the building and development of character.

During the same period, our National Government has placed a premium on relief, bootlegging, graft and criminal neglect as a device to perpetuate itself in office.

The Halls of Congress and the White House have become a three ring circus where many of our laws are set with each other to submit legislation designed to perpetuate the nation.

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act comes direct to the Oxford Fair from the famed Cole Bros. Circus and is heralded as the finest act of its kind in the country. Oxford Fair officials boast that this Maine fair is the only one in the state this year to present a trained elephant act in front of the grandstand.

The stage show will be presented nightly at 8 p. m. and each of the seven acts is guaranteed to provide entertainment of the finest quality.

The Kling Reid Shows will be in full operation each night following the hour and a half-long stage show. Once again the noted showman of the East is presenting the most modern rides and shows for the fair patrons.

Both floors of the big exhibition hall will remain open every evening of the fair. The Better Homes Exposition of '51 on the first floor will be filled to capacity with home appliances and equipment to make easier living in '51. Local business firms have taken every available inch of space in the big hall to display their merchandise in modern booths.

The second floor of the hall will be devoted to the Grange exhibits—4-H Club department, Future Homemakers of America, Future Farmers of America, the Paris-Norway Garden Club Flower Show and as usual the hand craft of local craftsmen. Fruits and vegetables will also have a prominent spot in the hall.

The harness racing will get underway daily at 1:30 p. m. with the pari-mutuel booths again under the supervision of Frank Witman.

BORN

In Norway, Aug. 28, to Mr and Mrs Bruno Leino, a daughter, Katrina Ruth.

MARRIED

In West Paris, Sept. 1, by Rev Eleanor B. Forbes, Dannie L. Faine of Oxford and Miss Virginia Hart of Bethel.

In West Paris, Sept. 1, by Rev Eleanor B. Forbes, John F. Buwell and Miss Muriel Knox, both of Rockland.

In Annisquam, Mass., Sept. 2, by Rev Keith Munson, Emory W. Flavin of West Paris and Miss Shirley Ann Putnam of Annisquam.

DIED

In Lehigh, Mass., Aug. 31, George A. Norton, aged 46 years.

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## CHURCH ACTIVITIES

BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. David Hickland, Pastor.

Miss Minnie Wilson, Church School Superintendent

9:45 a. m. Regular session of the Church School with classes for everyone.

11 a. m. Service of Worship with sermon by the Pastor. The sermon subject will be: "Little Lessons from the Life of Christ." Frank Flint will play a trumpet solo accompanied by Edward Hastings of Boston.

Choir rehearsals at the Church Thursday and Sunday at 7 p. m.

WEST PARISH CHURCH

Charles L. Pendleton, Minister

Morning Worship at 11 a. m. The choir anthems will be "Jesus, Jewell of My Faith," Bach, and "Thee We would Adore, O Saviour," DuBois.

The sermon title is "But Seek Ye First."

Wednesday, Sept. 12 at 8:00 p. m. Organ Recital by Edward Hastings.

Tuesday, Sept. 18: The Annual Church Meeting.

EAST BETHEL COMMUNITY CHURCH

The Church in East Bethel has completed its summer schedule of services. It will not meet again until further notice.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

The Lesson-Sermon used in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, is available to everyone who desires to study it.

You are cordially invited to attend the services of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, or the service of the branch church or society, near you.

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## 1951 MAINE REGISTER BOASTS NEW FEATURES

The Maine Register for 1951 is now being delivered.

As usual many changes have been made to make the book more useful. The various county officers and court information which have always appeared in the miscellaneous section in the front of the book now also appear at the beginning of each county.

In answer to numerous requests from individuals and corporations from various parts of the country, new statistical information has been added to give a partial picture of our industries and principal farm crops. The short space of time available prevented the publishers from presenting as much information as desired, as many of the statistics were not readily available by counties. It is hoped that by another year the scope of this information can be broadened materially.

Each county has a brief story of its characteristics covering briefly its physical features, transportation, housing, manufacturing, farming, community and recreational facilities.

New information has been added regarding the various colleges showing the enrollment, estimated costs at each, and the number of the faculty.

The Maine Register is the oldest publication of its kind in the country and probably in the world. The first issue was in 1820, but prior to

that date was known as the Massachusetts Register, the first issue of which was in 1800. The early registers were vest-pocket size and listed the state officers, salaries, notaries and members of the militia. Gradually changes were made in content and size to the present book of over 1200 pages.

Editing, compiling and securing information is quite a task, and would take one person over three years, not considering the time spent in the printing.

The publishers, Fred L. Towne Company of Portland, have been publishing the Maine Register for the past 33 years as well as a similar book for New Hampshire.

A little learning is a dangerous thing; drink deep, or taste not the Pierian spring; there shallow draughts intoxicate the brain, and drinking largely sobers us again.

— Pope

NOTICE

Beginning Monday, Sept. 10, our

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